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Applicants: V.H. Curley et al. Attorney Docket No.: MSFT115462
Application No.: 09/615,183 Art Unit: 2155 / Confirmation No.: 3712
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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR OPTIMIZING THE DATA TRANSFER
BETWEEN MIRRORED DATABASES STORED ON BOTH A CLIENT
AND SERVER COMPUTER

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Seattle, Washington 98101

August 24, 2005

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request for continued examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application, in which prosecution is closed.

- X 1. A submission as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is submitted as follows. Please consider the Amendment/Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on July 28, 2005. A petition for an extension of time to August 25, 2005, and the appropriate fee were also filed on July 28, 2005.
- X 2. The filing fee for the present request for continued examination is calculated below. No claims in excess of the number previously submitted are being added.

COMPUTATION OF FEE

	Number Filed After Any Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Basic RCE Filing Fee	-	=	x	=	\$790
Total Claims	46	=	0	x	50
Independent Claims	4	=	0	x	200
TOTAL					\$790

- X 3. Check No. 165672 in the amount of \$790.00, as computed above, is enclosed in payment of the required fees for filing the present Request for Continued Examination.

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4. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this request is enclosed.

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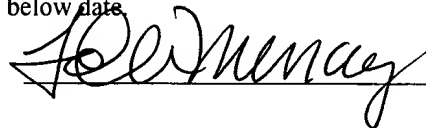


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